

CITY OF ATLANTA

Job Announcement

WATER DISTRIBUTION SPECIALIST

STARTING SALARY: \$36,326

Negotiable up to \$49,509 based on qualifications*

Salary Grade: 17

Applications Accepted From: <u>December 5, 2005</u> until <u>Vacancies are filled</u>

Minimum Job Requirements**

Applicants must have an Associate's degree in Science, Engineering, Engineering Technology, Building Construction or a related field and have four (4) years experience of water distribution and backflow prevention, survey, and/or inspection experience; or any equivalent combinations of education, training and experience which provides the requisite knowledge, skills and abilities for this position.

Licenses and Certificates**

Persons applying must have proof of Backflow & Distribution coursework at the time of application. Must obtain Backflow Testing certification within one year of employment. Persons applying must possess a valid State of Georgia driver's license at the time of appointment. The license must remain valid during tenure in this position.

Duties of the Job:

This employee has the following duties and responsibilities: review new development construction plans for backflow installation and make changes when necessary; monitor compliance for new construction sites, new meter inspections and discuss backflow prevention compliance plans with contractors; write reports, monitor testing and notifying contractors for proper installation and compliance; monitor unauthorized use of fire hydrants for backflow protection; perform fire hydrant flow testing; final inspection for domestic and fire service water lines and building customer occupacy. Communicate and interact with contractors and property owners.

To Apply For This Job

Applications will be accepted weekdays during the hours 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of application.

Apply at: Department of Human Resources, 68 Mitchell Street SW, Suite 2107, Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: (404) 330-6369 www.atlantaga.gov FAX: (404) 658-6157

Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer

The City of Atlanta is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate on the basis of Race, Sex, Age, National Origin, Religion, Sexual Orientation or Physical/Mental Disability (Except where physical requirements constitute a bona fide occupational qualification.)

The hiring authority will contact only those applicants they deem most appropriate for the position.

Letters will not be mailed to individual job applicants.

APPLICANTS WHO MEET THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS ARE PLACED ON THE ELIGIBLE REGISTER IN THREE CATEGORIES: QUALIFIED, WELL QUALIFIED, OR HIGHLY QUALIFIED.

THE EXAMINATION WILL CONSIST OF AN EVALUATION OF TRAINING & EXPERIENCE.

*Pending legislative approval. **Verification required prior to appointment.

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